### U. S. Army Signal Center and Fort Gordon



Task Force
Chairman's Meeting
6 August 2001

The Army's University of Information Technology

### <u>Agenda</u>

- \* Task Force Membership
- \* Task Force Initial Responsibilities
- \* Task Force Battle Rhythm
- \* Task Force Milestones

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Task Force Membership

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### University of Information Technology

#### Executive Steering Committee

- Major General Cavanaugh
- Colonel Farrell (Executive Director)
- Colonel Foley
- Command Sergeant Major Davis
- Colonel Wilson (Director, UIT)
- Colonel Via (Fort Hood)
- Colonel Ball (STRICOM)
- Army Signal Command Representative
- COL Stranko (SJA)
- COL Lockaby (NG)
- -LTC Calvo (RC)
- -COL Henderson (Gar Cdr)

- Academia
- Industry
- Private Organizations
- DISC4

- Colonel Wilson (Chair)
- SIGCEN Transformation Working Group (SGS)
- DRM (Mr. DiGirolamo/
- Rod Thompson

- DOT (Barbara Walton)
- OCOS (MAJ Pennington/ALT: CW5 Jensen)
- 15th Bde (MAJ Hoyle)
- LTC (COL Kulifay)
- DHR (Regina Mack)
- PAO (James L. Hudgins)
- Garrison Headquarters (Pat Buchholz)

# Education and Training Model/Assignment Oriented Training Implementation Plan Task Force

- COL Lockaby (Chair)
- DOT (Wanda Butler/ Alt: Gary Vahrenwald)
- 15th Bde (Beverly Friend)
- LTC (Judy Quattlebaum)
- RC Advisor (LTC Calvo)
- DHR (Sandy Huffman/Alt: Judy Wyatt)
- 442nd SIG BN (MAJ Ellis)
- SIT (David Kitner)
- NCOA (Rodney Johnson)
- WO REP (CW5 Wayne Jensen/CW5 Hewitt)
   OCOS OFF REP (MAJ Jeff Burnett/ MAJ Alan Makowsky)
  ENL REP (SGM Manion/SFC Barrett)

### Resources, Facilities, Contracting Implementation Plan Task Force

- Colonel Maglin (Chair)
- DOC (Billy Rogers)
- DPW (COL DeBow /
  Alt: Larry Brown)
- DOIM (Lisa McClease)
- DOT (COL Wilson)
- 15th Bde (LTC Fitzpatrick)
- Garrison Headquarters (Pat Buchholz)
- JAG (Mr. Cleary)

### **Simulations**

#### MAJ Meeds (DOT/Chair)

### TECHNICAL TRAINERS Mr. Jack London STT/ Chair MOS 31S

SSgt Thompson (USAF/31S) Clyde Becknell (STT) Beverly Butler (STT)) Leroy Herbel (NCOA)

#### **MOS 31U**

Myrtle Alexander (SIT) Larry Carr (STT)

#### MOS 31C/31L

Janice Hardigree (STT) Marvin Brumberg (STT) MOS 31P

SFC William Newkirk (STT) Rick Jones (STT) Debby Hall (STT)

#### TECHNICAL TRAINERS

#### *MOS 31F/31R*

SSG Nina Brown (STT) Dolphus Bell (STT)

#### **MOS 74B**

Sammy Martin (SIT)

#### TACTICAL TRAINERS

MAJ Horace Carney (ROA) Chair
CPT Robert Semple (ROA)
CPT Derek Streeter (ROA)
CW3 Frank Pizzi (ROA)
Mrs. Renee Carmicheal (ROA)
Mitchell Franks/Lee Herbel (NCOA)
CPT Darren Mitchell (SIT)

\* MAJ Bowie (SIT) {Alternate for CPT Mitchell}

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Task Force Initial Responsibilities

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#### **Deputy Commander**

- \* Provide Command Group level oversight over the establishment and implementation of the Information Technology and Digital Training Masterplan.
- \* Serve as the Executive Director of the Executive Steering Committee.
- \* Chair a monthly session with all TF Chairmen and Key Personnel.
- \* Assist in external promotion of the Masterplan.

#### <u>DOT</u>

- \* DOT will exercise staff supervision over the establishment and implementation of the Information Technology and Digital Training Masterplan.
- \* Provide integration and synchronization of all TF efforts.
- \* COR for all contractor activity in support of the Masterplan.
- \* Provide historical accounting of TF efforts (minutes).
- \* Future actions (milestones).

#### Chair: COL Wilson (DOT)

- \* Serve as integrator and provide synchronization of all implementation TF activities
- \* Coordinate monthly updates to DC and CG, and semi-annual updates to Executive Steering Committee.
- \* Master Milestone Keeper.

#### \* Promote Concept of Masterplan

- Exportable Briefing
- PAO Articles
- Communicator Article
- FT Gordon BB/UIT Web Site
- Brief Senior Leaders
- Briefings to SOBC/SCCC/BNCOC/ANCOC
- Expand list of targets for Information and Support
- \* Prepare Statements of Work for Contract Support

#### Establish Simulation Resource Center

- \* Leadership Needs?
- \* Skills Required?
- \* Military/Civilian/Contractor Personnel Required?
- \* Physical Location?
- \* Start-up Costs?
- \* What does 24/7 require?

#### Establish Web-Based Connectivity

- \* Web Capabilities Upgrade
- \* Use of Collaborative Tools
- \* Analysis of Current Campus LAN
- \* Future Infrastructure Needs
- \* Future PC needs (Classroom Needs)

#### Policies/Functions

- \* Capturing functions given new way of doing business.
- \* Needs for SOP's?

#### Role of PrivateOrganizations

- Specific Areas of Involvement
- Research
- Scholarships
- Awards
- Funding Selected Needs of the University

#### Role of Academia

- Specific Goals/Objectives
- Who to work these?
- List current initiatives.
  Incorporate into UIT.
- Funding
- Lessons learned

#### Role of Industry

- Specific Goals/Objectives
- Current initiatives. Incorporate into UIT

#### **Threads**

- Have we tied the Masterplan to <u>Transformation</u>?
- Have we tied the Masterplan to TRADOC PAM 525?

#### Remote Campuses

- \* Where do we want to establish remote campuses?
- \* What do we need on the ground there?
  - People
  - Space
  - Hardware
  - Software
- \* Do we need to do a "Pilot" for Remote Campus?
  - Fort Hood?

- \* How are we going to man these?
  - Military?
  - Contractors?
- \* Will we need MOA's?
- \* What do we want to accomplish here (Mission)
  - Liaison?
  - Accreditation?
  - Identify Training Needs

Chair: COL Lockaby (DAC/NG)

- \* Gaining TRADOC Support
  - Brief to A/DCS-T 14 August
  - Brief TRAOC CDR o/a 20 August
  - Tasker/Suspense from TRADOC ref 31S/31P AOT
  - Who else do we need to convince?

- \* Gaining PERSCOM / DA Support
  - Brief EPMD
  - Brief DCSPER
    - Officer DIV?
    - Enlisted DIV?

#### The Follow-On Assignment Phase

- This is a Weak Area
- TNCOC?
- Resident/Non-Resident?
- What does Masterplan call for?

#### <u>Pilot Courses</u>

- When do we begin?
- What are milestones?
- What lessons do we hope to gain?
- How will we identify the students assignments?
- Has GD been briefed?/Are they supporting?

- \* Future Strategy for Assignment Oriented Tracks
  - Beyond the Pilot Courses
  - When do we start?
  - Who will work these tracks (the courses)?

#### Resources/Facilities Task Force

#### Chair: COL Maglin (DRM)

- \* Develop Start-up Costs for University
  - Must be done ASAP
  - Need to show TRADOC CDR o/a 20 AUG
  - Must be executed this FY
- \* Funding Strategy
  - What will be cut off date for executing this year?
  - What do we go after from now to 30 Sept?
  - Strategy of agencies to partner with?

### Resources/Facilities Task Force

- \* Establish IDIQ Contract
  - What is involved here?
- \* <u>Long Term Construction/Renovation/Infrastructure</u> Needs
  - Classrooms
  - Pipes
  - Furniture
  - DFACS

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Task Force
Battle Rhythm

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### Item

Frequency

\* TF Meetings

As Requested

Weekly E-mail to DC

TF Chair to DC - Weekly

\* Update to DC

Monthly - 1 Week Prior to CG

IPR to CG

Monthly

Executive Steering Committee Semi-Annually

#### Initial Milestones

1 AUG Finalize TF Member	rships
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6-23 AUG TF's Flush Out Detailed Action Plans and Identify Phases.

13 AUG Submit Consolidated Costs to TRADOC

24 AUG(T) Initial Back - Briefings to DC

Update to CG

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NOV Brief Signal Symposium. Workshop? Executive Committee Meeting